

# Essentials Work Chairs



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## Discover Essentials Work Chairs

Easy-to-use, comfortable and absolutely affordable, Essentials Work Chairs offer a range of practical solutions for businesses, healthcare organizations and educational institutions. Three distinct models, designed by Jeffrey Bennett and Nicholas Dodziuk, bridge the gap between day-to-day comfort and thoughtful design. In keeping with the long-standing Knoll commitment to sustainable design, Greenguard<sup>™</sup>-certified Essentials Work Chairs are manufactured using clean technology and can help achieve LEED<sup>®</sup> credits.



### One Family, Three Personalities

EWC Sport,<sup>™</sup> the newest member of the Essentials Work Chairs family, joins EWC Pro<sup>™</sup> and EWC Tech<sup>™</sup> in providing diverse aesthetic choices adaptable to any office environment.

#### Strong Color and Form

EWC Sport, left, in Sequin, Poppy, with back and seat accents in EWC Sport Black, expresses the liveliness of work, providing comfort and visual gesture for workstations, private offices and meeting rooms.

#### Comprehensive Essentials Work Chairs Offering

EWC Pro, EWC Sport and EWC Tech, right, are a complete task chair offering suitable for any workplace style, from the traditional to the progressive. Left to right: EWC Pro in Spinneybeck<sup>®</sup> Volo leather, 982 Kilim; EWC Sport in Harrison, Fulton, with back accent in EWC Sport Black; EWC Tech with Red Carpet Tech suspension back and Alignment, Paprika, seat cushion.



Presenting the Essentials Work Chair Collection

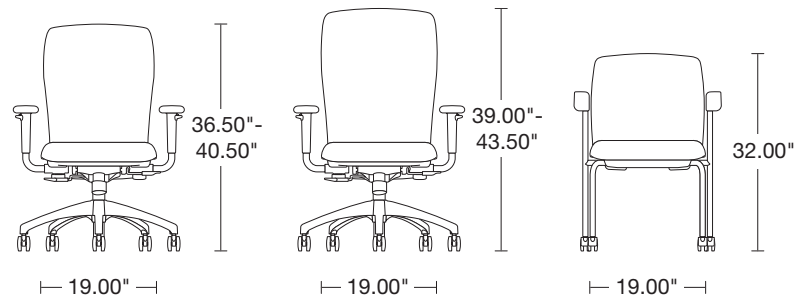
The range of choice in the Essentials Work Chair family provides more options than ever before.



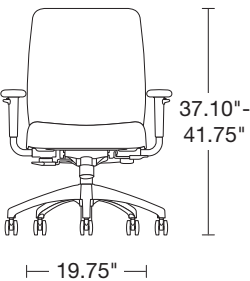
EWC Pro Mid-back

EWC Pro High-back

EWC Pro Side



EWC Sport



Tailored. Practical. Flexible.

EWC Pro offers the traditional appeal of a fully upholstered task chair. With an accompanying side chair, EWC Pro is a perfect solution for the value-seeking customer interested in a tailored look.

Above: EWC Pro Mid-back, left, in Sequin, Sapphire; EWC Pro High-back, center, in Spinneybeck Acqua leather, 638 Bay of Biscay; EWC Pro Side in Cavalier, Blue Moon.

Supportive. Adaptable. Inviting.

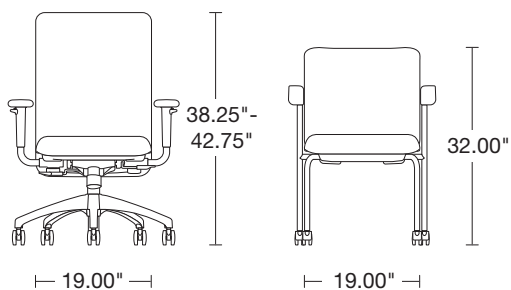
EWC Sport is visually inviting with a plush seat and generous back, offering lasting comfort and an inventive interplay of upholstery elements.

Above: EWC Sport, left, in Ingot, Sky Dive, with back and seat accent in EWC Sport Beige Taupe; right, in Prep, Nordic, with back accent in EWC Sport Beige Taupe.



EWC Tech

EWC Tech Side



**Streamlined. Efficient. Agile.**

Characterized by its slim, wave-like suspension back, the EWC Tech with coordinating side chair is a beautifully proportioned complement to workstations, conference rooms and private offices.

Above: EWC Tech, left, with Navy Blue Tech suspension back and Chroma, Cyan, seat cushion; EWC Tech Side, right, with Navy Blue Tech suspension back and English Accent, Regal, seat cushion.

## The Right Chair for Your Space

Essentials Work Chairs respond to day-to-day requirements with versatile, well-proportioned design, supporting the body with unsurpassed comfort. All Essentials Work Chairs are available in a conference version with a fixed back and loop arms.



### Distinctive Presence

EWC Sport conference chair, left, and EWC Sport task chair, right, offer contemporary style with the opportunity for colorful impact. EWC Sport, left, in Presto, Clear Gray, with back and seat accents in EWC Sport Black; right, in Chroma, Silver, with outer back accent in EWC Sport Charcoal Gray.





## Adaptable to Open Plan, Private Office and Collaborative Environments

EWC Pro, EWC Tech and EWC Sport can help define not only the way an office works but also how it feels. Knoll helps create efficient and functional workplaces that exceed expectations for performance and affordability.



### The Value of Design

Essentials Work Chairs complement the range of Knoll office systems, desks and tables for environments that respond to diverse individual and collaborative needs while providing comfortable, supportive seating. EWC Pro Mid-back and Side, above, in Sequin, Mango; EWC Sport, right, in Presto, Blue Chip with back accent in EWC Sport Charcoal Gray; EWC Tech, opposite, with Beige Taupe Tech suspension back and Spinneybeck Velluto Pelle leather, 530 Mount Vernon, seat cushion.



## Setting a Standard with Essentials Work Chairs

EWC Pro, EWC Sport and EWC Tech set the standard for a range of workplace applications.



### EWC Tech for Technology

EWC Tech and Side with Clear Gray Tech suspension back and Presto, Navy Blue, seat cushion.



### EWC Sport for Healthcare

EWC Sport in Moto, Domino, a Cal 133 approved Crypton fabric, with back accent in EWC Sport Black, also Cal 133 approved.



### EWC Pro for Finance

EWC Pro High-back and Side in Spinneybeck Velluto Pelle leather, 580 El Reno; side chair shown with fully upholstered back.



### EWC Sport for Media and Communications

EWC Sport in Chroma, Silver, with back accent in EWC Sport Charcoal Gray.



### EWC Pro for Education

EWC Pro Side and Mid-back in Cavalier, Cardinal; side chair shown with standard black plastic back.



### EWC Sport for Legal

EWC Sport in Spinneybeck Volo leather, BLK Black, with back accent in EWC Sport Black.

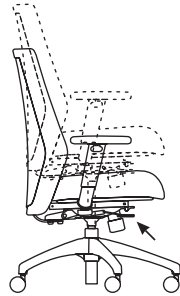


#### Arm Choices

Above, from top: The width-adjustable loop arm is available on Essentials Work Chairs for conference room applications; the EWC Sport arm is rounded to visually complement the chair's broader back aesthetic; the rectangular arm accentuates the EWC Pro and EWC Tech styles, and is available exclusively on these two task chairs.

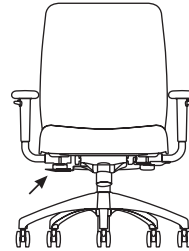
## Essentials Work Chairs Features at a Glance

Essentials Work Chairs task and conference versions offer a range of movement and adjustability. Though aesthetically distinctive, EWC Pro, EWC Tech and EWC Sport all offer the same functionality and support, as illustrated below by EWC Sport.



#### Seat Height

To raise the seat height, remove your weight from the chair while lifting the lever under the right side of the seat. To lower the seat height, lift the lever while sitting in the chair.



#### Tilt Lock

To recline, pull out the lever under the right side of the seat. To lock the chair upright, push the lever in.



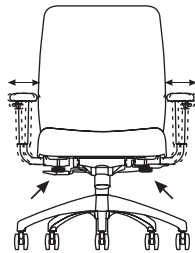
#### Tilt Tension

To adjust the tilt tension, turn the knob under the front of the seat. Turn counterclockwise while seated to tighten, and clockwise to loosen.



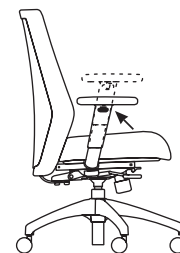
#### Back Height (EWC Pro and EWC Sport task chairs)

*EWC Tech and all conference versions have a fixed back height.* To raise the EWC Pro and EWC Sport back height, firmly hold both sides of the back and lift. This is most easily done while seated. The back height adjusts 9 notches upward for a total of 2.5" of adjustability. To lower the back height, first raise the back to the highest position; the top notch releases the back to the lowest position.



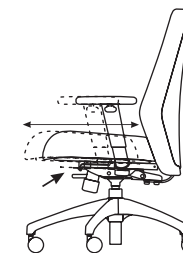
#### Adjustable Arm Width

To adjust the arm width, loosen the knob under the arm support by turning clockwise while seated. Slide the support toward or away from the seat to adjust the arm width. Tighten the knob under the arm. The arms adjust 1" in width per side (2" total).



#### Adjustable Arm Height (Optional)

To adjust the arm pad height, lift the lever on the outside of the arm support and move the arm up or down. Release the lever to lock. The arms have a 3.5" range of adjustment.



#### Sliding Seat Depth Adjustment (Optional)

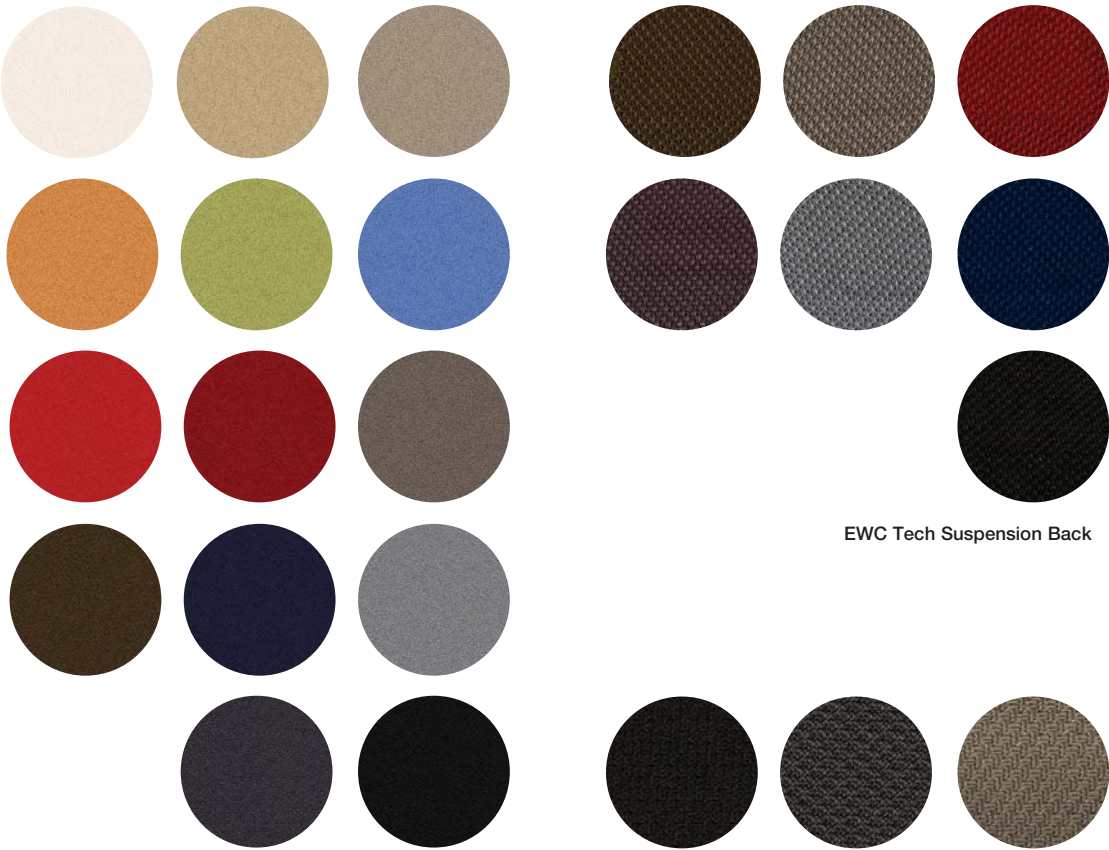
To adjust the seat depth, lift the lever under the left side of the seat and slide the seat to the desired location. Release the lever to lock. There are 6 positions within a 2.75" range.

Unparalleled Choice in Personalizing Your Chairs

With extensive fabric and leather options, including KnollTextiles upholstery and Spinneybeck leather selections, Essentials Work Chairs can be mixed and matched to create a range of contemporary aesthetics.



**EWC Sport Outer Back and Seat Accents**  
All EWC Sport chairs feature a distinctive Cal 133 approved upholstered back accent in Black, Beige Taupe or Charcoal Gray, above left; an optional matching “racer” seat accent, above right, adds visual interest.



Presto, a base grade option for EWC Pro, EWC Sport and EWC Tech, created by KnollTextiles and available in 14 colorways

EWC Tech Suspension Back

EWC Sport Back and Seat Accent

**Ultrasuede® Comfort**  
Inside front and back covers of this brochure feature EWC Pro, EWC Sport and EWC Tech upholstered in Ultrasuede® from KnollTextiles, available in 22 standard colorways.



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The practical, stylish and affordable solution for any workplace, Essentials Work Chairs work in a range of office applications. Designed by Jeffrey Bennett and Nicholas Dodziuk for workstations, conference rooms and private offices, the fully upholstered EWC Pro™ and EWC Sport™ as well as the suspension back EWC Tech™ chairs offer a variety of aesthetics, from tailored traditional to slim-profile contemporary, sought after by designers and professionals alike.